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TAGS: AORG, UNESCO (CHANDLER, JAMES B.)

SUBJECT:UNESCO: AMERICAN CANDIDACY FOR POST OF DIRECTOR OF
INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF EDUCATION (IBE)

1. MR. JAMES B. CHANDLER IS THE U. S. CANDIDATE FOR DIRECTOR OF THE IBE, A GENEVA-BASED COMPONENT OF UNESCO. THE U. S. MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, DR. ROBERT B. KAMM, IS WRITING TO SOME 25 OF HIS FELLOW BOARD MEMBERS TO ASK FOR THEIR SUPPORT OF CHANDLER.

2. ACTION POSTS SHOULD NOTIFY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER OF THEIR HOST COUNTRY THAT SUCH A LETTER WILL BE FORTHCOMING, AND URGE THAT THEY GIVE IT PROMPT ATTENTION. IF APPROPRIATE, YOU MAY REMIND THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER THAT THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF UNESCO, IN FILLING THIS POSITION, WILL TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE VIEWS OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS WHICH SHOULD BE NOTIFIED TO HIM IN WRITING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. WE BELIEVE THE DIRECTOR GENERAL WILL
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MAKE HIS DECISION ON OR ABOUT APRIL 15.

3. CANBERRA, NEW DELHI, AND ROME MAY WISH ASK THEIR RESPECTIVE CONSULATES TO TAKE ACTION BECAUSE OF GEOGRAPHIC PROXIMITY TO BOARD MEMBERS. PERMDEL SHOULD MAKE CONTACT WITH WITH THOSE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS RESIDENT IN PARIS. IF

ANY OF EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS NORMALLY RESIDENT PARIS ARE ABSENT AT THIS TIME, PERMDEL SHOULD NOTIFY THE APPROPRIATE EMBASSIES DIRECTLY, GIVING ADDRESSES WHERE MEMBERS MAY BE CONTACTED, AND THOSE EMBASSIES (ALL LISTED AS INFO ADDRESSEES ABOVE) SHOULD THEN TAKE THE ACTION INDICATED IN PARA 2 ABOVE.

4.TEXT OF LETTER FOLLOWS:

"I AM TAKING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE CANDIDACY OF MR. JAMES CHANDLER FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF EDUCATION (IBE).

MR. CHANDLER'S EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE AND PERSONALITY MAKE

HIM EXCEPTIONALLY WELL QUALIFIED FOR THE POST. HIS PERFORMANCE DEMONSTRATES THAT HE IS A DYNAMIC LEADER WHO WORKS COOPERATIVELY WITH OTHERS. HE IS HIGHLY COMPETENT AS AN EDUCATOR AND ADMINISTRATOR, AND HE HAS HAD EXTENSIVE WORKING EXPERIENCE IN ASIA, AFRICA, AND THE ARAB WORLD. HE IS FAMILIAR WITH THE IBE AND THE INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL REPORTING SERVICE. HE IS FLUENT IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH.

IF, AFTER REVIEWING THE CURRICULUM VITAE OF THE CANDIDATES, YOU SHARE MY FEELING THAT MR. CHANDLER IS OUTSTANDINGLY QUALIFIED, I WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR INDICATING YOUR SUPPORT FOR HIM BY A LETTER TO THE DIRECTOR GENERAL."

5. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS' NAMES AND ADDRESSES IN ACTION POSTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

WALTER A. BURKE, C/O MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY
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DEVELOPMENT, BRIDGETOWN;

HUGH PHILP, HEAD, SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY, NORTH RYDE 2113, N.S.W.;

SJARIF THAJEB, KOMPLEKS MENTERI NO. 11, JALAN GATOT SUBROTO, JAKARTA-SOLATAN;

ESTEFANIA ALDABA-LIM, 28, NARRA AVE., FORBES PARK, MAKATI, PHILIPPINES;
VICTOR BRAVO AHUJA, FUEGO 930, JARDINES DEL PEDREGAL, MEXICO 10;

ADVERTUS A. HOFF, MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, MONROVIA;

SARVEPALLI GOPAL, 30 EDWARD ELLIOT ROAD, MYLAPORE, MADRAS 600004;

GUNNAR GARBO, ROYAL MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, OSLO-DEP, NORWAY;
GONZALO ABAD GRIJALVA, MARIANO ANDRADE 120, QUITO;
PAULO E. DE BERREDO CARNEIRO, AVENIDA ATLANTICA 3892, 2000 RIO DE JANEIRO, R.J.;

MAJID RAHNEMA, C/O IMPERIAL ORGANIZATION FOR SOCIAL FR. SERVICES, ZAFAR STREET, 132 RAISI STREET, TEHRAN;

KEITARO HIRONAGA, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, 2-2-1, KASUMIGASEKI, CHIYODA-KU, TOKYO;

MAHMOUD MESSADI, 13, RUE SLAHEDDINE LAYOUBI, LE BARDO,

TUNIS;

VITTORIO MATHIEU, STRADA VALSALICE 125/12, 10131, TURIN.

6. MEMBERS TO BE CONTACTED BY PERM DEL ARE: BUSTAMANTE
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(PANAMA); EL WAKIL (EGYPT); HUMMEL (SWITZERLAND);
PETERSEN (FRG); PINTASILGO (PORTUGAL); SALIM (JORDAN);
UPRAITY (NEPAL); USLAR (VENEZUELA); VAN USSEL (BELGIUM);
AND WAGNER (PERU).

7. THE FOUR OTHER CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICE ARE FROM
ARGENTINA, POLAND, TRINIDAD AND UNITED KINGDOM.
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